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Dustin Chouinard Ravalli County Courthouse Box and by fax: 363-7418

Dear Dustin,

This letter is a follow up on our phone call of April 17, 2007 wherein I once again stated how important it is that the hanger that Mr. Fournier is building at the Ravalli County Airport have a door that opens to the East as per the ALP. This is a matter that was discussed over and over at the settlement negotiations we had earlier in the month, but I felt it very important that there be no possible miscommunication on this matter. While we have been willing to accept Mr. Caldwell's letter on its face to this point, to be clear, regardless of what Mr. Caldwell says was or was not submitted previously, we cannot allow Mr. Fournier to construct a building with an opening to the South onto the Forest Service taxiway. This is a violation of the ALP, as well as a significant health and safety concern.

Regardless of what the minutes of prior Ravalli County Commission and Ravalli County Airport Board meetings state, we cannot allow construction of a building that will be a danger to the health and safety of Ravalli County's citizens. Just as we will not permit construction of a building that is to be used for anything other than aircraft maintenance or storage, WE WILL NOT PERMIT CONSTRUCTION OF A HANGER WITH A MAIN DOOR THAT OPENS TO ANY DIRECTION OTHER THAN THE EAST, pursuant to the ALP.

Sincerely.

Alex Beal

Deputy Ravalli County Attorney

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Ravalli County Commissioners Ravalli County Airport Board